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Police Investigating Columbia Shooting

Howard County Police are investigating a shooting that occurred last night in the 10500 block of Twin River's Road, Columbia. Police located 23-year-old Nyema Wilson at about 8:35 p.m. in the 5800 block of Rideout Heath. Investigators say that after being shot, Wilson used a bike path to run to Rideout Heath where he collapsed from his injuries.

Police are looking for a gold colored vehicle with tinted windows and chrome wheels. Several occupants may have been in the vehicle at the time of the shooting.

Wilson was initially transported to Howard County General Hospital and then taken to University of Maryland Shock Trauma suffering from a gunshot wound to the buttocks.

Anyone with information is urged to call Howard County Police at 410-313-3200.

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